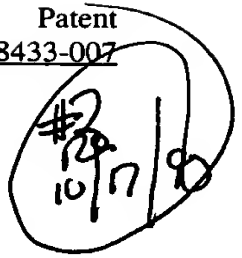


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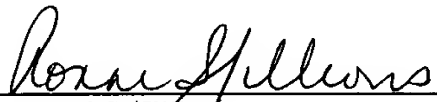
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in triplicate.

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Microprocessor Report, Volume 11, Number 14, October 27, 1997.

In addition, Applicants would like to call the Examiner's attention to related copending Application Serial No. 08/574,283, filed on December 18, 1994; and copending Application Serial No. 08/788,839, filed on January 27, 1997.

By citation of the copending applications, Applicants do not waive the confidentiality of the subject matter thereof. The Patent and Trademark Office is requested to maintain the confidentiality of these applications under 35 U.S.C. § 122.

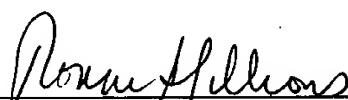
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